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Senator Lewis, your argument about September was the time when the whole tax structure was changing. There were days here when the Legislature only met from Tuesday to Thursday and went home. It was a time when the Legislature also went back and planted their crops and took weeks off for the 4th of July, and it ran to September.

Senator Chambers, if we go back to the horse and buggy....

PRESIDENT: One minute, Senator Mahoney.

SENATOR MAHONEY: Thank you. If we go back to the horse and buggy and we go back to qualities and values of past years, this is not all bad. This is for the good of a state of 1,600,000 population. People would be better off if they would have less government and less of the legislative end of it. This ought to catch on with county governments, municipal governments and school boards.

PRESIDENT: Debate has ceased. The question is, shall 992 be advanced to General File notwithstanding the actions of the Committee. It will take 30 votes to raise the bill from Committee. Have you all voted? The Clerk will record.

CLERK: 11 ayes, 33 nays, 5 not voting.

PRESIDENT: The bill has not been raised from the Committee. It is not on General File.

We have here six ladies, Good Neighbor Extension Club, from Kearney. They are from Senator Cope's district. They are in the South balcony. Would you please stand and be recognized.

CLERK: Mr. President, your Committee on Agriculture and Environment, to whom was referred LB 836, instructs me to report the same to the Legislature with the recommendation it be indefinitely postponed. Signed, Senator Schmit, Chairman.

Mr. President, your Committee on Urban Affairs, to whom was referred LB 775, instructs me to report the same to the Legislature with the recommendation it be advanced to General File; 796 General File; 999 General File. Signed, Senator Fowler, Chairman.

Mr. President, an Attorney General's opinion, addressed to Senator Luedtke, will be inserted in the Journal.

Mr. President, I move that pursuant to Rule 3, Section 10(B) that LB 811 be placed on General File. Signed, Senator Burrows. He just wanted this laid over, Mr. President.

Mr. President, Senator Frank Lewis has an explanation of vote. "Had I been present I would have voted aye on LR 106 ... I would have voted no on LR 106.

PRESIDENT: Is that all, Vince?

CLERK: Yes.